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Attorney Docket No: 970636A  
Customer No: 29158**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: DOUGLAS M. DILLON, ET AL.  
Application No: 10/010,521  
Filed: December 7, 2001  
For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
SELECTIVELY ALLOCATING AND  
ENFORCING BANDWIDTH USAGE  
REQUIREMENTS ON NETWORK USERS

Art Unit: 2151  
Examiner: Nghi V. Tran

**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Mail Stop AF  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ Petition for Extension of time is attached hereto. If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.
- ☐ An extension for \_\_\_ months(s) has already been secured; the fee paid therefor of is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.
- ☒ Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.
- ☐ The fee for claims is calculated below.

**CLAIMS AS AMENDED**

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR		PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	45	-	58	=	0 x	\$ 50.00 =	\$ 0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	13	-	19	=	0 x	\$ 200.00 =	\$ 0.00
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS					N (Y/N)	\$ 360.00 =	\$ 0.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT:							<b>\$ 0.00</b>

Please charge **\$0.00** to Deposit Account No. **02-1818**. Please charge any additional fees for claims or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-1818.

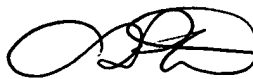
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Date

Name

Signature

Respectfully submitted,

  
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HUGHES NETWORK SYSTEMS, LLC  
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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

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Introductory Comments

In response to the final Official Action dated December 1, 2005, please  
amend the above-identified application as follows: